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Dear Ms. Coggins,

On 4 February 2008 I sent by Facsimile Transmission a Request
entitled;

Request to the Group Director, Group 3630, Art Unit 3634,
to Withdraw the Finality of an Office Action Mailed 28 November 2007
in the above-identified application, to allow
Determination of the Priority Status of the Above-Identified Application,
and Suspending of the Rules of Practice, if and as Necessary, to allow time for
such a Ruling and Subsequent Response Thereof

As pointed out in that document, I as Counsel in this Application had
received a 2nd Action Final Rejection dated 28 November 2007. Thus we have
progressed part way through the fourth month of the term for response, and we
are into the first of the "extension months" of the Response period and this is the
cause of extreme concern on the part of the Inventors.

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I feel I must at all costs maintain the 'status' of the inventors, and I have already procured corrected drawing sheets (even though I believe they are not required), and have drafted amendments to the claims in view of rejections stated in the Final Office Action. I could file a Continuation Application to preserve the inventors' filing and Priority dates, but that will only prolong the consideration of the issues we already have, and add more to the cost burden of the Inventors.

In view of the foregoing Remarks, could you call me, or set a date for me to telephone you, so we can discuss when, or if, I might expect a response to my original Request dated 4 February 2008

Respectfully submitted,


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